

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Crowley, et al.

Art Unit: 1616  
Examiner: Qazi, Sabiha

U.S. Appln No.: 10/540,037

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Filed: June 22, 2005

For: NAPHTHYRIDINE DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE AS FUNGICIDES

Action: **Petition for Extension of Time  
Pursuant To 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

Date: February 3, 2010

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

The non-final Office Action of October 19, 2009, has a shortened statutory time set to expire on January 19, 2010. A one (1) month extension is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), such that a response to the non-final Office Action is timely if filed by February 19, 2010.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 50-1676 in the name of Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

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